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School Fair Today

In spite of rain that started to fall at 7.25 this morning and continued until noon the School Fair is going on. There is a wonderful display in practically every class. The prize winners will be published in next week's issue.

POLICE COURT

John S. Hutchison appeared before A. W. Gordon, J. P. at Crossfield on Wednesday, charged by Mr. Hutchison of Calgary, with the theft of 225 bushels of seed wheat. He was remanded until Sept. 14.

Aged Resident Suicides

Jacob Nelson Gano hanged himself at the farm of J. H. Havens, of the Madden district on Sept. 4. Dr. Whillans corner and J. S. Jarman, R. C. M. P. investigated and found it a case of suicide during a fit of temporary insanity.

The deceased was eighty-one years of age and had been in failing health for some time. His son Homer had arranged to take him to Calgary for treatment on the day of the tragedy.

Mr. Gano was a resident of the district for the past thirteen years and was highly respected by all who knew him.

The funeral services took place this afternoon. Rev. H. Young officiating.

Here and There

The prairie provinces have 1,042,278 more acres under wheat this year than last, according to a recent report issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. For all Canada, the increase is 894,350 acres.

The Dominion government has paid the whole "shot" of the Imperial Conference. The appropriation was \$350,000.

Success—The only person we know who makes a success running other people down is the elevator boy—Brantford Regard.

Early Days of Crossfield

By P. I. McNally

A tribute to the late Dr. Bishop in your last issue by J. Cavander was most timely and is endorsed by all who intimately knew the Doctor.

Dr. Bishop was a public spirited man and had the advancement of Crossfield at heart, and took an active part in the incorporation of the Village, and was the first Reeve of Crossfield.

Only those who have it to know how much is to be done in laying the foundation of even a Village, as there must always be an eye to the future, and much credit is due the late Doctor for what Crossfield is today.

Being on the first Council with him, I am familiar with his public actions—always working in the interests of the new village.

It may not be generally known, but Dr. Bishop was instrumental in saving the Village \$60.00 in the initial cost of establishing the cemetery, when the village had not yet collected any taxes, and had no available cash. He had a way in dealing with the public that was irrefutable.

He established a very complete drug store in 1905 or 06, which was later taken over by Merrick Thomas.

In early years he built some substantial buildings which are still a credit to the village. He believed what was worth doing was worth doing well.

He experienced all the hardships of a pioneer doctor, often visiting his country patients on horseback in all kinds of weather, for there were only trails to be followed and no bridges, all streams had to be forded.

The writer feels that in the passing of the late Dr. Bishop he has lost a very close and true friend.

O. E. Jones Loads First Car This Year's Wheat

Red Bobs Grades a 1 Northern and 30 Bushels to the Acre

O. E. Jones was the first in the Crossfield district to market wheat this season. Mr. Jones commenced combine threshing on Monday and on Tuesday had finished hauling in a carload, which was sold to the United Grain Growers. The wheat was Red Bobs, and graded a No. 1 Northern, went 30 bushels to the acre and 63 lbs to the bushel. The grain had been swathed and then combined.

Many farmers of the district have finished cutting wheat, and some straight combining is now being done, although there has been considerable swathing done east of town.

Threshing machines are now being put in shape and if the present fine weather continues some machines will start up on Monday, Sept. 12.

Following a heavy frost on Friday night which froze down potato tops, the weather has been ideal for harvesting.

10 Per Cent Discount on Taxes Paid Before Dec. 1

Wednesday Half-Holiday Throughout The Year—Six Months Business Tax To Be Paid In Advance.

The regular monthly meeting of the Council was held in the Town Hall on Tuesday evening. Present: Mayor Williams and Councilors C. Amussen and R. Nichol.

It was moved by Mayor Williams seconded by R. Nichol that 10 per cent discount be allowed on all arrears and current taxes paid on or before December 1st, 1932.

Mr. Amussen was against the motion, contending that those who paid their taxes, had received only 5 per cent discount, while those who did not pay would now receive a 10 per cent discount on arrears. Nevertheless, it was decided to try out the 10 per cent discount in an endeavor to get in the taxes.

The resignation of W. McRory as sec-treas. of the Village of Crossfield was accepted.

A petition signed by practically all the business men of the town, was presented to the Council, asking that By-law No. 59, respecting the Wednesday half-holiday during the summer months be amended to read "throughout the year."

It was moved and carried that By-law No. 59 be amended to read throughout the year instead of during the months of May, June, July and August. It was further added that a fine of \$10.00 for the first infraction of this By-law and \$25.00 for the second, be added.

The Council was of the opinion that there was no use of the business men asking the Council to make a law governing the Wednesday half-holiday, and then have the same business men, break the law under any pretext.

There are certain provisions in the By-law covering emergencies, as to what can be sold, such as repairs for farm implements, etc. but further than this, the By-law will be enforced.

Owing to the illness of Mr. McRory, there has been considerable delay in getting out the tax notices but it is hoped to have them out in the course of the next few days.

In future the caretaker at the cemetery will be paid at the rate of 25c an hour and he will have to do the work himself as no extra help is to be hired.

The secretary was instructed to draft a By-law re Business Tax, embodying therein a clause whereby this tax must be paid six months in advance beginning with the new year.

Several accounts were passed and ordered paid.

Notice

Owing to the continued depression we will allow

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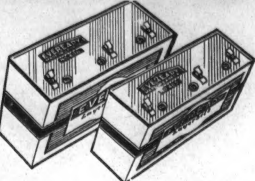
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Initiative Wins.

When Marshal Foch was given command of the French army during the World War, one of the first things he is reported to have said was: "To him with history and principles! What is the problem?" Though Foch was perhaps the world's greatest student of military strategy, he was no slave to it. He tackled each problem with initiative and vim. This method won for Foch.

The Review of Reviews magazine declares that a study of recent reports will show that those industrial organizations that exerted wise and sustained vim and initiative profited more than those which stood pat watchfully waiting, or those which imitated others. It points out that the larger the business, the more it tends to become standardized. System and routine often kill initiative and stifle progress. This explains in part why a small organization will so often place a new, out-of-the-ordinary product upon the market, something for which a real need has long existed but which no one previously appeared to have recognized.

Safety glass, now used so widely for windshields and bank cages, is the result of alertness and initiative. Non-shattering glass was discovered accidentally by a French chemist who knocked over a test-tube that had been used for months. Stopping to pick up the pieces, he discovered that the paste substance in the tube held the broken glass intact. Mentally alert, the chemist remembered that the tube contained a mixture of trinitro-cellulose, ether and acetone. Experiments followed and safety glass was the result.

Rear Admiral David Watson Taylor is credited for having been able to reduce the coal bill of the United States Navy by one-half, utilizing the bow wave for ship propulsion. A biscuit company making money only marginally saw its sales rise enormously by fashioning cookies in the shape of dogs, animals, and similar enticing forms. A manufacturer of towels was able to build up sales enormously by introducing towels in colors to harmonize with the bathroom tiles. Children's towels were created. Complete ensembles were worked out—towels, washcloths, bathmats. That plant is reported to have maintained full capacity throughout the depression.

Foods have undergone marked development because of research followed by initiative. It was discovered that tomato juice is rich in vitamins A, B, and C, and in three years, tomato juice has caught the public's fancy. Progressive manufacturers of canning machinery were alert to their opportunity. In two years the sales of canned tomato juice have a gain of 629 per cent., and bottled 177 per cent.

Today there is no paucity of opportunities. But there is paucity of vision, initiative, and courage to capitalize them. As Charles Kettering, vice-president in charge of research, General Motors Corporation, says: "Business will come back when we get products that people want to buy. If one-tenth of the energy was spent in getting such products instead of stirring up the mud, we would get along better."

The task of leaders is to lead. There is not an industry or a line of manufacture but affords unexploited opportunity for initiative. Today, as during the days of the World War, executives might think to advantage as Marshal Foch was thinking when he said, "To him with history and principles! What is the problem?"

Britain Is Providing Underground Airports

Planes Will Use Inclines To Come To Surface

Underground airports are to be provided for the British Air force. This decision was made after it was found that no camouflage could hide the hangars from the powerful lenses now being used in military cameras. The new airfields will be at a minimum depth of thirty feet. There will be inclines for planes to come to the surface and take off.

It is good to have money and the things money can buy; but it is good, too, to check up once in a while, and make sure you haven't lost the things money can't buy.

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W. N. U. 1958

Men's Greatest Invention

Hammer Is More Necessary Than Any Tool Made

If you ask half a dozen people what they consider to be the greatest invention ever made, the majority will suggest such things as the steam engine, the dynamo, or the electric telegraph. But these are not actually the results of a much earlier and far more important discovery. The earliest and greatest invention ever made by man was the hammer.

You cannot undertake any piece of constructional work without a hammer. Though you may not actually use it, it must have been employed in making the tools with which you do the work. The hammer was the first tool which enabled man to multiply his strength; to do something which was impossible with his bare hands.

It was probably invented by a remote ancestor who had the inspiration to use a stone for cracking the shell of an oyster or whelk. The earliest hammers had no handle. They were merely conveniently shaped stones held in the palm of the hand.

Fasten such a stone to a handle and you have a much more effective tool. Sharpen its business end to an edge by chipping off flakes, and it becomes a stone axe. The formation of an edge on the earliest flint tools could be done only by means of a hammer. The hammer thus gave birth to both the axe and the adze, the earliest of cutting tools.

From the adze and the chisel to the saw is but a step. The drill is simply a small chisel. It was first fixed to a round shaft and rotated by the palms of the hands; later, primitive man invented the bow and string method of turning it. The bow and string drill is still in use in certain trades.

Medical Science Finds Chinese Doctors Right

Experiments Prove "Pin-Frick" Cure Has Its Merits

The Chinese doctors have one method of curing their patients which has always bewildered and amused the western world. If a man is ill, they stick a pin into him. If not a pin, at any rate, a needle or a copper wire tied to a point. They do just that, and nothing more. No drugs are used.

In good many ailments this cure has nearly always been successful, and westerners put it down to faith curing—the powers of suggestion. Now, after many centuries, medical science has decided there is something in it, and the Chinese experts are asked to demonstrate their methods.

Picking a patient with a needle in the right spot has a certain effect on nerve centers. Experiments have shown that it causes a cessation of violent neuralgia, or sciatica; it has given temporary relief from asthma and has proved helpful in various forms of stomach or internal disorders, giving instant relief.

Research into acupuncture—"pin-prick cure"—has only just started, but it is quite likely that in a few years it will be largely used instead of pain-soothing drugs.

Stock Exchange Seats Up

Estimated Value Shows Big Increase In Short Term

With the recent sale of a seat on the New York Stock Exchange for \$120,000 the value of the 1,375 seats went up by 33 per cent. The estimated worth of the seats is now placed at \$165,000,000, an increase of \$41,250,000 over the total of a week before.

The traders in Wall Street are preparing to pick up where they left off a few years ago. It is getting on for three years since the crash on October 29, 1929, when 16,400,000 shares changed hands.

People have been hoarding their money for a long time. They are beginning to feel the itch to spend. The stock exchange is one of the barometers, even if it is a place where many lose their savings. And the exchange is girding itself for a pick up in its business—Border Cities Star.

Higher Education Popular

There were 57,294 students in the twenty-three universities in the Dominion in 1931, and 25,137 attended the 101 colleges in the Dominion. Of the total of individual students at both universities and colleges there were 46,354 males and 25,798 females who followed the higher education. The ladies secured 35.7 per cent. of the diplomas, licenses and degrees granted.

Visitor says American schoolgirls are too fond of gum. Part of their chawtime, no doubt.

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Motion Without Motive

Chinese Description Of Western Civilization Fits Speed Maniac

Judging by the number of convictions in recent weeks, the Ontario authorities are in earnest in their determination to make the highways of that Province safe for the average motorist.

There is rarely any intelligent reason for driving a car beyond a reasonable speed. Occasionally, in an emergency, fast driving may be justified. For the most part it is merely craziness.

One of the most frequent causes of fast driving is the desire merely to pass some one on the way to nowhere in particular. Which gives point to the Chinese observer's description of Western civilization as "motion without motive." The speed maniac might just as well be driving around an enclosed motor speedway as on the public highways. Perhaps something of the kind may eventually be provided for those infected with the speed virus—Winnipeg Tribune.

Buys His Home Village

After an absence of more than 40 years, William McGregor, who left his home in Lathernowell, Caithness, Scotland, to seek his fortune in Australia, has returned to become the owner of his native village. As a boy he was employed in herding cows. Director of several Australian companies, he came back to visit his sister, Miss Jessie McGregor, who still lives in the cottage where they were born. He bought the village when it was placed on the market recently. It has about 120 inhabitants.

Drives Asthma Before It. The smoke or vapor from Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy gives asthma no chance to linger. It eradicates the cause. Our experience with the relief-giving remedy shows how actual and positive is the success it gives. It is the result of long study and experiment and was not submitted to the public until its makers knew it would do its work well.

His Voice

Newell was showing an office friend over the young couple's new house.

"All this luxurious furniture is my wife's idea, you know," he explained. The friend nodded approvingly. "Very nice, I'm sure," he replied; "but surely you had a voice in the matter."

"Yes, the invoice," said the young husband.

Ernest taken 21 times as much plant food from the field and pastures of America as is removed by harvested crops.

Bad Constipation And Sick Headaches Ended By Vegetable Pills

Formerly a wreck from Constipation, Sick Headaches and Indigestion, Mr. V. H. Wines: "It was a red-letter day for me when a friend recommended Carter's Little Liver Pills. Results have been marvelous." Because they are PURELY VEGETABLE, a gentle, effective tonic to bowels, liver and bowels, Dr. Carter's Little Liver Pills are without equal for correcting Acidity, Biliousness, Poor Complexion and Indigestion. 25c. & 75c. red box. Ask for Carter's at the R.R.E.

Mine Taken Over By Workers

Interesting Experiment Is Under Way In Nova Scotia

For a quarter of a century the people of Inverness, N.S., have been working for somebody else. Now they will be in business for themselves, directing and operating the coal mine that is the only industry in the town, and marketing its products.

Their co-operative plan, approved recently by the government of Nova Scotia, is expected to banish the threat, long dreaded by the town's 3,000 inhabitants, that the mine would be closed.

Under the agreement with the government, operation and control of the mine has been transferred to a new company, the Inverness Coal Co-operative Company, Limited, members of which are to be miners employed in that mine and taxpayers of Inverness.

Canadian Radio Programme Broadcast From 'Plane

Contact Made With Station From Height Of 3,000 Feet

An advertising stunt that proved of some scientific importance was accomplished here recently when Arthur Dupont, local radio announcer, and Sydney M. Nesbitt, aeroplane club officer from an aeroplanes, though short distance from a Montreal radio station while flying 3,000 feet over the city. Both men gave short addresses which were clearly received by many wireless fans. It was believed to be the first Canadian radio program broadcast from an aeroplanes, though short address were broadcast from the airship R-100 over Ottawa in 1930.

Wounds in children work havoc. These pests attack the tender lining of the intestines and, if left to pursue their ravages undisturbed, will ultimately perforate the wall, because these worms are of the hook variety that cling to and feed upon the interior surfaces. Miller's Worm Powders will not only exterminate these worms, of whatever variety, but will serve to repair the injury they have done.

New Paint Seems Uncanny

How hot a kettle is at any moment can be told by the color of a paint which has just been invented. A kettle painted with the new material, which is a mixture of salts of mercury and copper, looks bright red when cold, but as it warms up above 140 degrees it becomes maroon colored. At 20 degrees higher it takes on a dull chocolate hue, and at boiling point it is quite black. Cooling brings its color back.

Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator will drive worms from the system without injury to the child, because its action, while fully effective is mild.

"Too bad about Tom and the girl he's engaged too. Neither one of them is good enough for the other." "Where did you get that idea?" "I've been talking the matter over with both families."

About one-half the world's lepers are in China.

Rice accounts for about 80 per cent. of Siam's exports.

Feeder Purchase Policy

Designed To Encourage Winter Feeding Of Cattle and Lambs

Renewal of the Feeder Purchase Policy designed to encourage the winter feeding of cattle and lambs of suitable type and quality is announced by the Hon. Robert Weir, Federal Minister of Agriculture. Under the terms of this policy, broadly put, the Federal Department will pay the reasonable travelling expenses of a farmer or his agent to the stockyard point of purchase, the feeder sales, or nearest station to range point at which feeder stock is purchased. To secure the benefits of the policy at least one car of stock (20 head of cattle or 40 lambs, or a combined car, figured on 2 lambs as the equivalent of one beef animal) must be purchased. Stock purchased is subject to approval as to type and suitability by the official representative of the Dominion Live Stock Branch serving the point of purchase. Special provision has been made to extend the benefits of the policy respectively to farmers of Eastern Canada, of the Prairie Provinces, and of British Columbia. Complete details and information about the policy and the benefits can be secured by writing the nearest stockyard agent of the Dominion Live Stock Branch, or direct to R. S. Hamer, Chief, Cattle Division, Dominion Live Stock Branch, Ottawa. The policy is operative for a period of five months from and after August 1, 1932.

Ontario Relief Organization

Public Welfare Board For Each Municipality To Handle Direct Relief

Organization of a public welfare board for each municipality to administer direct relief is recommended in the report of the advisory committee on direct relief to the Ontario Government, and announced by Hon. Dr. J. D. Monteith, Minister of Public Works and Labor. Where possible, it is also suggested that an association or league of organizations interested in public welfare should be organized to act in an advisory capacity and arrange for the conduct of campaigns in connection with the raising of funds, etc.

Housekeeping accounts on an Ohio farm indicate that a farm family of five people spends about the same money for food that a bachelor does in the city.

Eggs are better than spring tonic, in view of the iron, vitamins and proteins they contain, is the advice of the bureau of economics.



First Results Obtained In Scientific Attack On Weeds In The Prairie Provinces

Weeds stand pre-eminent among the causes of agricultural losses in Canada and oddly enough they have been the last of the pests of agriculture to occupy the serious attention of scientific investigators, states a report entitled, "Weed Survey of the Prairie Provinces," issued as the first publication of the National Research Council's Associate Committee on Weed Control.

In a popular account, entitled, "Weeds and Their Control," prepared under the auspices of the Committee for general distribution and issued simultaneously, it is declared that the worst weeds are widely adaptable as to soil and climate and even recently settled areas such as the Peace River district are being gradually invaded and will eventually be overrun unless more effective defensive measures are adopted.

An estimate of the losses sustained is made:

"The committee's experiments have shown the wheat yield of weedy plots to be reduced by 19 to 44 per cent. Taking 18 per cent. as a conservative estimate of the crop loss due to weeds in the prairie provinces, this would run, at current prices for wheat, oats and barley, to well over forty million dollars for an average crop. To this must be added the high cost of the additional cultivation done to keep weeds within bounds, the cost of threshing, handling and shipping to port. Arthur and Fort William annually the equivalent of 96 train loads of 60 cars each of weeds, the direct cost of dockage, and many other kinds of losses due to weeds."

Dr. Robert Newton, Director of the Division of Biology and Agriculture, National Research Laboratories, and the chairman of the Committee, states in a foreword that cultural methods of control must be mainly depended upon, since the application of chemical herbicides is practicable only for small areas. Dr. Newton says:

"For most of the weeds fairly successful cultural methods have been developed, and we may expect great improvement along this line when we have available the results of the careful studies of the growth habits of weeds now being carried on by members of the committee. Previous progress has been achieved largely by the method of trial and error; now it can be based on accurate knowledge of the effect of different treatments on the development of various weeds. It would appear that the future progress in the future be achieved in proportion as educational campaigns are successful in inducing farmers to co-operate in the application of the best methods. Community effort is essential, as with many weeds reinfestation from farm to farm takes place readily.

Weed inspection systems might be improved by centralizing within each province the responsibility for both the appointment and supervision of inspectors, and by extending the legislation to require the cleaning of the seed. Municipal appointees are often poorly qualified and ineffective. The educational aspect of the work should be emphasized.

"This report goes out as the first publication of the Associate Committee on Weed Control. A second, dealing in a popular way with weed control, in the light of the new information already available to the committee, is being published simultaneously. Other papers, based on the large volumes of investigation work under way, will follow in due course. It is confidently expected that these will be recognized as important contributions to the solution of a problem of the first importance to agriculture."

G. P. McCrindle, Professor of Agronomy, University of Manitoba; L. E. Kirk, Dominion Agrostologist, Dominion Experimental Farms, Ottawa; George Godel, W. G. Smith and J. M. Manson, weed investigators of the Saskatchewan Department of Agriculture, the Alberta Department of Agriculture, and the Associate Committee on Weed Control respectively, are the joint authors of the report entitled, "Weeds and Their Control."

The origin of the Committee is described in these terms:

"No such body of knowledge exists about weeds as about animal and

plant diseases and insects, and until very recently no adequate investigations were under way to obtain such knowledge.

"In recent years the exploitation by commercial firms of various chemicals as herbicides has provoked a renewed interest in this old, but never widely used, method of weed control. The National Research Council, in response to requests from numerous organizations, called a conference in Edmonton in the fall of 1929, on the destruction of weeds by means of chemicals. At this conference it became clear that the whole field of weed control was urgently in need of investigation. The Council then appointed an Associate Committee on Weed Control, with representatives of the chief institutions concerned in the general problem, and the committee undertook the task of developing a co-ordinated programme covering all aspects of weed control investigations.

"Having regard to the practicality of organizing the work, it was agreed that the initial activities should have more particular reference to the prairie provinces. Mr. J. M. Manson, of the University of Alberta, was engaged by the committee to make a reconnaissance survey of this area, in order that the committee might have a better picture of the situation with which it was confronted. The results of the survey are set forth in this report."



Winnipeg Newspaper Union
Fashion
438

Various points about this smart dress have been thought out for matrons. For instance, the one-sided softly falling rever cuts the bodice broad. Still more helpful perhaps is the unbroken line, created by the partial belt arrangement, which gives height to the figure. The inset panel at the centre-front, also does its bit toward slenderness.

Printed crepe silk is a lovely medium. The vest is lace.

Style No. 438 is designed for sizes 36, 38, 40, 42, 44 and 46 inches bust. Size 36 requires 4 1/2 yards of 39-inch, with 1/2 yard of 10-inch lace.

Cottons may also be used in sheer batiste or lacy novelty weaves. Sheer woolsens are also suitable.

Price of pattern 25 cents in stamps or coin (coin is preferred). Wrap coin carefully.

How To Order Patterns
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Pattern No. Size
Name
Town

If Australia could be placed in the Atlantic Ocean, it would fill up all the space between the United States and Great Britain.

Her: "Dearest, do you think you could live on three pounds a week?"
He: "Yes, but no longer."

PRACTISING FOR RECORD



A. Couzens, well-known English walker, who is pictured above in training for his forthcoming attempt to walk 200 miles in 48 hours.

Quit Professional Careers
Noted Swimmers Reported As Intending To Give Up Quest For Marathon Honors

The Toronto Daily Star says that Margaret Ravoir, Philadelphia mermaid who won the \$3,000 first prize in the Canadian National Exhibition women's marathon swim, and George Young, noted Canadian marathon swimmer, will quit professional swimming after their marriage.

The Star quoted an unnamed "authority" in Johnny Walker's training camp as saying Young and his bride-to-be would settle down at a country place near Bracebridge, Ont.

Ericsson Memorial
Unveiled In Iceland

American Minister To Denmark Officially At Ceremony
Frederick W. B. Coleman, American Minister to Denmark, unveiled at Reykjavik, Iceland, a statue of Leif Ericsson, the Icelandic hero, on his way to Greenland from Norway in the year 1,000, discovered America.

The statue was presented to Iceland by the American people in 1930. Ericsson is reputed to have touched Labrador, and possibly Newfoundland and Nova Scotia, in his voyage through the Arctic seas.

Receive Gold Medal
President Von Hindenburg Marks the Goethe Centenary
J. L. Garvin, editor of the London Sunday Observer and a distinguished student of Goethe, is among 41 recipients of the gold medal bestowed by President von Hindenburg in connection with the celebration of the Goethe centenary at Frankfurt-am-Main.

Other recipients of the medal include Premier Benito Mussolini, of Italy, and Premier Edouard Herriot, of France.

STAND OF DOUGLAS FIRS
Stand of Douglas Fir on Vancouver Island, British Columbia. There are 127 billion feet of this timber growing on Vancouver Island.



When somebody says that trees were a thousand friends to one man they did not exaggerate. It is for this reason that Mr. Frank D. Barnum is carrying on a Dominion-wide crusade for the conservation of our Canadian forests.

The above picture shows a handful of Douglas firs near Victoria. There are estimated to be over 120 billion feet of this timber growing on Vancouver Island. Mr. Barnum has already bought a tract which is to be preserved for the public in his fight for the conservation of our timber.

Mr. Barnum says: "Trees protect our drinking water supplies, our water powers, fish, game and bird life; provide lumber and fuel, pulp and paper, labor and transportation, taxes and dividends; are our greatest

promoter of health, beauty, our city streets, protect our highways and check the ever growing menace of dust storms and hail, provide shelter from the scorching days of June, in summer and the icy blasts of winter, prevent cyclones, damaging floods, erosion and loss of fertility of the soil; provide recreation and a tourist industry which, without cost to the country, ranks second in its importance, hence, including lumber and pulp, our four greatest industries are absolutely dependent upon our forests, and in fact nothing that we use or eat or wear can be produced, manufactured or transported without the aid of woods."

"No other element of the universe has so many uses (4,500 in number), or is of such vital importance as trees."

Model Coach Competition

Edmonton Youth Captures Coveted Prize For Two Years In Succession

Lawrence Drebert, of Edmonton captured both the grand championship and the senior championship trophies in the annual competition of the Model Aircraft League of Canada which ended in Winnipeg recently.

It was the second year the youthful model builder came out on top of the list of competitors. The junior championship went to Joe Purvis, of Toronto.

Victor R. Hill of Vancouver, placed third in the senior scale model competition.

A Floating Museum

Admiral Byrd's Whaler Houses Exhibits Gathered At South Pole

Admiral Byrd's whaler, "The City of York" on which he sailed to the Antarctic on his trip to the South Pole is berthed at Chicago in the lagoon across from the Hall of Science in the Century of Progress Exposition after a trip through the Great Lakes.

The deck has been kept intact with the admiral's quarters untouched, but the rest of the boat has been made into a museum. Members of the expedition still on the ship act as guides showing visitors to the fair, the Adelle penguins, Emperor penguins and other exhibits gathered at the Pole.

Regimental Affiliations

Ontario Militia Units Form Fraternal Alliance With Antipodes

Reaching out beyond the traditional regimental affiliations between units of the Canadian militia and the British regular army, the Perth regiment, with headquarters at Stratford, Ont., have established a fraternal alliance with both Australia and New Zealand. The department of national defence announced royal approval of affiliation with the 26th Battalion, Australian military forces, and the Otago regiment of New Zealand.

Thousands Use Plane For Channel Crossing

Demand Is Greater Than Accommodation According To Report
During June 4,311 travellers flew by Imperial Airways between London and Paris, as compared with 2,208 in the corresponding month of 1931.

The increase is notable and it is reported that the demand is greater than the accommodation. When Louis Bleriot, the French aviator, made his pioneer flight across the English Channel, from Calais to Dover, a distance of 21 miles, in 37 minutes, on July 25, 1909, he had visions of the future of flying, but he could hardly have imagined that the science would make such tremendous progress in less than a quarter of a century.—Montreal Gazette.

New Type Of Building

American Laboratory Constructed On Lines Of Thermos Bottle

A big laboratory recently built in America has been made on the lines of the thermos flask. Its walls are constructed to prevent heat from leaking either in or out. It is built entirely of concrete, with not a single window. Outside is a thick coating of cork with an outer layer of bricks. This acts as a heat insulator and maintains an unaltered temperature of 70 degrees. It would take a month in the depths of the severest winter for it to fall to 69 degrees. The purpose of the laboratory is to study the light given out by atoms at certain temperatures.

Stained Glass Windows For French Chapel

Carry Figures Of Soldiers Instead Of Biblical Subjects

Three stained glass windows, destined for the rebuilt Beaufort Chapel in France, which portray the historical figures that bind the allies and France, recently were exhibited in Boston.

The figures of an allied soldier and a French poilu, Lafayette and Washington, Pere Marquette and Champlain, occupy the places usually reserved for Biblical subjects.

Sir George Williams was the founder of the Young Men's Christian Association.

Vancouver Now Claims To Be The Largest Grain Shipping Port In The Dominion

One-Third-World's Sheep Within Empire

British Dominions Produce Large Portion Of New Wool

Nearly one-half of the world's raw wool and over two-thirds of the wool entering world trade are produced within the British Empire. Exports of home-grown wool from Canada have developed rapidly since the war, these exports now amounting to a yearly average of 7,000,000 pounds, about 40 per cent of the entire Canadian production.

The world's sheep population is estimated at nearly eight hundred million head, of which about one-third are in the British Empire. They produce between 3,500 to 4,000 million pounds of wool yearly, and of this amount about 1,500 million pounds, including much of the best wool, comes from the Commonwealth of Australia, South Africa and New Zealand. Outside the Empire the important producing areas are the South American countries, the United States and Russia. Of these territories only South America has a surplus for export.

Belgian Memorial Stamps

Dedicated To Infantrymen Who Fell On West Front

Special postage stamps have been issued in Belgium, dedicated to the glory of the Belgian infantrymen who fought and fell on the Yser, at Nieuport, Dixmude, and other sectors of the Western front.

The design common to both of the two denominations consists of a giant figure of an infantry soldier clad in great-coat, steel casque, and full equipment, striding amidst a blaze of light through the ruins of a village.

A total of 40,000 pairs was printed, and the stamps were sold at a premium upon face value in aid of the erection of a national monument in Brussels. Their values and colors are: 75 centimes (plus 3¢ 25c) red; and 1¢ 75c (plus 4¢ 25c) blue. They make a notable addition to the many issues of stamps associated with the world war and its aftermath.

Various Stages Of Manufacturing Taking Place Of Completed Exhibits

Chicago World's Fair In 1933 will be built on the theory that the "sell exhibit" of previous exhibitions is out of vogue. Every exhibit will be in "motion." Instead of completed products on display, the public will be shown the various stages of the manufacturing process. Because of this policy there will be thousands of employees working on regular shifts in temporary factories during the six months period of the Fair. It is expected that 30,000 persons will be on the payroll of the various concessionaires, exhibitors and educational displays.

Fresh Water Leviathans

Larger Boats Make Faster Time On Lake Trips

In only a few years over the century Welland locks have grown from 110 feet long to 859 feet, because Canadian business requires to handle its boats that have grown from 100 feet to 320 feet. Moreover these freshwater leviathans that we have made to carry our wheat and ore can no longer spare the time to dawdle away 25 hours between Erie and Ontario as they have had to do. Speed goes with size nowadays and our newest and biggest carriers with their 25,000 tons under hatches can pass from lake to lake and clamber up or down the cliffs in a third of the time.—Montreal Star.

Dog Accepts Challenge

Careless with three hankies Miss Peggy Tyson of Winchmore Hill, England, waved them playfully before her pet terrier. The dog accepted the challenge and chewed up the money. Miss Tyson was able to collect and match enough of the pieces to have the bills cashed at the local post office.

Prices of agricultural products in Chile are increasing.

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"When I return from Paris."

"So you are going to Paris?"

"No."—Gutierrez, Madrid.

The surprising growth of Vancouver's grain trade during the past ten years was summarized and clearly illustrated by R. C. Milroy, retiring president of the Grain Exchange division of the Vancouver Merchants' Exchange.

The occasion was the annual meeting of the division.

For the fourth successive year Vancouver has exceeded Montreal in exports of Canadian wheat. Ten years ago Vancouver exported 8,000,000 bushels, while Montreal shipped 34,000,000 bushels of Canadian wheat. Last crop year, 1931-32, Vancouver exported more than 75,000,000 bushels of wheat and Montreal 54,500,000.

Ten years ago Vancouver's elevator accommodation was 1,500,000 bushels. Today, including additions now under construction, the port has the largest ocean grain elevator accommodation in the world, with 17,728,000 bushels. Montreal is second with 15,162,000 bushels.

In 1921-22 Vancouver exported 6 per cent of the Canadian wheat crop. In 1931-32 this port exported 44 per cent of the Canadian wheat crop. Montreal and other eastern Canadian ports 37 per cent, and United States ports 19 per cent.

Ten years ago Vancouver's oats export was 250,000 bushels; last year it was 7,000,000 bushels.

Ten years ago this port's grain export to Europe were 4,500,000 bushels; last year it totalled 71,000,000 bushels.

Last year's export from Vancouver was 84,000,000 bushels of all grains, second highest movement in history of the port. Records were made in quantity shipped to Europe, in movement of oats, in total percentage of Canadian crop exported.

Something New For Chicago World's Fair

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Suggestion for protecting a smoker from his own smoke.—Gutz.
W. N. U. 1938

THREW AWAY HIS
STICKWhen Sciatonia Yielded
to Kruschen

There can be no doubt that this man has finished walking with a stick, for it is now four years since he discarded it.

He writes: "For 18 months I suffered with chronic sciatica and rheumatism, and was unable to walk without the aid of a stick. But after taking Kruschen Salts for a short time, I was able to throw away the stick. It is now four years since this happened, and I have had no return of the complaint, and have not lost a day from work. I shall never be without Kruschen Salts, as they are worth their weight in gold. You can use this letter as you please, as I can honestly recommend Kruschen Salts to any sufferer."—C. F.

If the eliminating organs become sluggish, they permit uric acid to accumulate and deposit itself in the tissues, muscles and joints in the form of needle-pointed crystals, which, piercing the nerve sheaths, cause excruciating pains of sciatica. The six salts in Kruschen stimulate the eliminating organs to healthy, regular action. Mischiefous uric acid is then given no chance to collect.

WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

Robert Moodie, 67, who had been for nearly 40 years connected with the circulation side of the "News of the World," being its senior representative in the South of England, is dead.

Dr. John Stanley, junior research investigator on the staff of the National Research Laboratories, formerly of Vancouver, B.C., resigned. He has accepted the post of assistant professor of biology at Queen's University, Kingston.

A royal robe of sealskin, ornamented with ermine, to be worn on state occasions only, has been ordered by the emperor of Mongolia from a firm of Montreal furriers. His majesty insisted the order be placed "within the empire."

The order of the Red Star, the highest decoration of the Soviet government, has been awarded to Col. Hugh L. Cooper, United States engineer, for his work on the huge Dnieper project power development in southern Ukraine.

Having kept a census of horses since the World War, the British War Office will start one of automobiles.

Apartments built in Greater Copenhagen, Denmark, last year, totaled 8,622, the largest number ever recorded in any 12 months.

No change is to be made in the size of Canadian one dollar bills, the finance department stated recently. Recent rumor said the Canadian bill would be cut down in size, much after the style of the smaller United States bills.

British Columbia's oldest pioneer, Alexander MacLean, aged 81, who came to British Columbia 74 years ago and whose memories went back to the days when the site of Vancouver was dense forest, is dead. He was born in San Francisco.

Liner Card-Sharps

Have Lost Occupation

Practice Is Almost Unknown Now On Atlantic Boats

In many of the world's big cities today, including London, England, are the scattered hands of clever and well-educated men who at one time were expert card-sharps on the great luxury liners.

The depression, which brought about a scarcity of easy money, helped the police in their vigorous campaign against these men, who specialize in card-sharping aboard ships.

Their expenses were high, and the stakes at most of the games were too low to produce any profit after paying their fares as first-class passengers.

Card-sharping on the Atlantic liners is today almost unknown.

Wonder somebody hasn't thought of using a motorcycle in a jazz band.



"Why do you sit and drink from morning till night?"
"Well, you don't expect me to sit up at night to do it?"—Aunt for Allie, Stockholm.

W. N. U. 1928

Seaplane Base At The Pas

Manitoba Town To Be Registered On Air Route Maps

Erection of a mast and wind cone on the bank of the Saskatchewan River, as a guide to fliers, will be arranged by the Board of Trade of The Pas, Man., through the co-operation of the Imperial Oil Co.

The wind cone, which will mark the landing place, and a mooring-platform for pontoon equipped 'planes, will be arranged by the board.

H. L. Weber, agent at The Pas, for the Imperial Oil Co., offered the cone and assistance in its erection, and the board accepted the offer, passing a resolution of thanks to Mr. Weber's company.

The board will have The Pas, Man., registered on Canadian air maps as a fully equipped and qualified seaplane base.

New Form Of Advertising

Interesting Process Used To Project Writing On Clouds

Sky writing, a new form of advertising in which the message is projected on the clouds at night, was demonstrated at London. The government recently decided the method was legal. The process involves the use of metal stencils placed in the beam of a powerful searchlight to cast letters on to the cloud base. The searchlight used is of 450,000,000 candle power. For skywriting purposes the limit of its really effective range appears to be a cloud base of about 3,000 feet high. Most of the legends shown contained up to twenty-five letters. Some include a design such as the British lion.



A CHIFFON PRINT FOR FORMAL AFTERNOON AND EVENING GAIETIES

Don't you think it lovely to have a dress with a certain amount of swishiness about it, for more formal occasions?

A delicious print in chiffon made today's model in white with splashy red flowers. The soft crepe silk girdle toned with the print.

It's a dress that would do delightful duty for informal evening wear.

Sheer chiffon voiles are also charming and satisfactory. They tub beautifully.

Crepe silk and triple sheers can also be used for this sleekly slender model. Style No. 477 is designed for sizes 14, 16, 18, 20 years, 36, 38 and 40 inches.

Size 18 requires 4 yards of 36-inch material with 1/4 yard of 35-inch contrasting.

Price of pattern 25 cents in stamps or coin (coin is preferred). Wrap coin carefully.

How To Order Patterns

Address: Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Ave., Winnipeg

Pattern No. Size

Name

Town

Increase Shown In

Canada-Empire Trade

Statistical Review Issued By Department Of Trade and Commerce

Canada is becoming more empire conscious in her purchases. A statistical review, issued by the Department of Trade and Commerce, showed that nearly 30 per cent. of the Dominion's imports in July came from empire countries as compared with only 26.3 in the corresponding month last year.

The percentage of foreign imports dropped from 73.7 per cent. in July to approximately 70 per cent.

Compared with the preceding July, Canadian imports last month from foreign countries registered a drop of \$10,621,346, while those from empire countries decreased by only \$2,000,000.

In July Canada wrested from the Netherlands second place amongst countries of the world in supplying the cheese market of the United Kingdom. British trade figures, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reports, show that the leading importations were: New Zealand, 16,602,305 pounds; Canada, 12,286,268 pounds; and Netherlands, 11,384,658 pounds. There was a sharp advance in the importation of Canadian canned salmon by the United Kingdom in July. British trade figures give the amount as 3,726,925 pounds as compared with 488,872 pounds a year ago. The United States supply last month was 465,584.

Why Outlined Profiles

Are Called Silhouettes

Named After French Finance Minister

The black profiles called silhouettes are named after Etienne de Silhouette, the Finance Minister of France in 1759. Silhouette made an immediate name for himself by the stringent economies he effected in public finance. It was his policy to refuse to pay for more than the shadow of any substance. The process of outlining profiles thrown by shadow on to a white sheet had just been introduced at that time, and as these pictures were considered exactly to resemble the Minister's avowed policy, his name was immediately bestowed upon them.

Liquor In Bulk

Saskatchewan Commission Planning To Follow Lead Of Other Provinces

The Saskatchewan Liquor Commission is planning to follow the lead of other provinces and import certain brands of liquor in bulk instead of in bottles.

By importing headbends of liquor and bottling it here, a saving is effected on overhead items such as the cost of bottling and excise duties. The bulk purchase scheme, it is expected, will mean lower prices to the purchaser.

Secure Animal Pictures

American Nature Association Party Meet With Success In Rockies

After four weeks on the trail along the northern boundary of Jasper National Park and the adjacent mountains of British Columbia, the American Nature Association party returned to Jasper Park Lodge with several thousand feet of big game motion picture film.

Under the leadership of Arthur N. Pack, Princeton, N.J., president of the association, the party included Laurence S. Rockefeller, Tarrytown, N.Y., son of John D. Rockefeller, Jr.; Mrs. Pack, Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bryan, Jr., all of Princeton.

Some novel stalking won a number of fine shots for the camera crew. Wearing white costumes with hoods, Mr. and Mrs. Pack aroused sufficient interest among the trophy-hungry guests to approach within a few feet of them on one occasion. In the Tongva Valley the party discovered a herd of more than 100 caribou and acquired some fine close-ups. Later, in the Snake Indian River country, they ran across practically every kind of game in the Canadian Rockies.

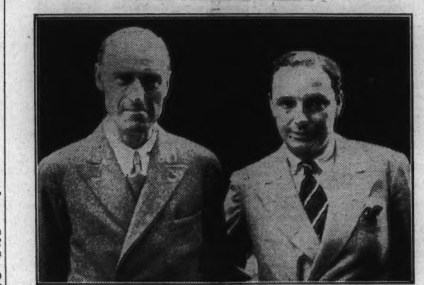
"I got one fine Billy," said Mr. Pack, "by dropping on hands and knees and imitating him when he lowered his head and stamped his foot to show anger. We exchanged boasts and compliments until I had crawled to within ten feet of him. Then he took to his heels and it all made a fine picture."

A Worth-While Idea

Here's a little idea worth keeping tucked back somewhere in your mind. Remember that it is always a good plan to remove the spare from the rack in the rear or out of the fender well before jacking up the car to take off the flat. Otherwise, in getting the spare loose the car may be shaken enough to cause it to slip off the jack.

Iceland has 1,605 automobiles.

BRITISH PARLIAMENTARIANS



Hon. Sir Phillip Cunliffe-Lister, and his private secretary, Captain T. L. Dugdale, M.P.

Distinguished Visitors Deliver Addresses On Trip Through Western Canada

By the achievement of the Imperial Conference we have shown how a great group of nations can organize for trade purposes along right lines, in the opinion of the Right Honourable Sir Phillip Cunliffe-Lister, C.B.E., M.C., M.P., Secretary of State for the Colonies, expressed during a brief stop in Winnipeg on a tour over the Canadian Pacific Railway lines to the west coast.

Sir Phillip was accompanied by a group of keen young British parliamentarians eager to see western Canada in the harvest season. Among them were his own private secretary, Captain T. L. Dugdale, M.P., for Richmond and Yorkshire, one of the largest agricultural constituencies in England; J. P. L. Thomas, M.P., private secretary to the Secretary of State for Dominion Affairs; Geoffrey Lloyd, M.P., private secretary to the Lord President of the Council; and Viscount Hinchinbrooke, private secretary to the Right Honourable Stanley Baldwin.

"In England," said the distinguished visitor, "we have taken the tariff out of politics and put it into business, making it an entirely business proposition. The tariff has been adjusted to what the market bears and no more. Recognition of that fact marks all the agreements that were reached at the conference. Everything was approached from the point of view of getting the equilibrium between supply and demand, so that all would get the fairest prices."

Sir Phillip felt that British manufacturers would devote more attention to developing the Canadian market as a result of the concessions made by the Dominion Government and that the situation and the market possibilities were already being studied. He had every confidence in the ultimate result.

The Secretary of State for the Colonies and his party spent a week-end in Banff as guests at Banff Springs and attended several meetings under Canadian Club auspices and also spoke at Winnipeg on his return trip at a board of trade luncheon at the Royal Alexandra Hotel.

Your Pipe Deserves
The Best!

... particularly when the best costs you no more than ordinary tobacco. Smokers realize how much more fragrant, how cool, how satisfying a pipe can be when it's loaded with Ogden's cut plug.

**OGDEN'S
CUT PLUG**

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

SEPTEMBER 11

ISRAEL JOURNEYING TOWARD CANAAN

The Start From Sinai, verses 11-28.

"The children of Israel had left Egypt an undisciplined rabble. Now they are an orderly host—they set forth according to the journey. In due order they advanced, first the camp of Judah, and then the other tribes in their prescribed order, the ark and the tabernacle and all its furnishings in the care of those appointed for this service. They were on the way to 'the place of which the Lord said, 'I will give it to you,' unaware as yet that more than thirty-eight years would pass before their descendants, not they themselves, would enter that Promised land."

"The path of life we walk today is strange as that which the Hebrews trod; We need the shadowing rock as they; We need, like them, the guide of God."

The Proposal To Hobab, verses 29-32.

"Hobab was Moses' brother-in-law, according to Judges 4:11, the son of Jethro, who had visited Moses at Sinai and had returned to his home, Exodus 18:27. Before starting on the march Moses besought Hobab to go with them. 'Come thou with us, and we will do thee good,' he said with confidence, assured that God would be with them, and that the good which would come to them from God they would share with Hobab. Moses was right in telling Hobab that they would do him good. 'Unprogressive, out of the way of the great movements of humanity, gaining nothing as generations went by, but simply reproducing the habits and treasures of the life of their fathers, Hobab's Arab tribe had no prospect, no future. Compared with that poor outlook, how good it would be to share the noble task of establishing on the soil of Canaan a nation devoted to truth and righteousness, in league with the living God, destined to extend His kingdom, and make His faith the blessing to all.'—Robert A. Watson.

Can you truthfully say to others that if they come with you, you will do them good? Are you high-minded and true, so that your association with others will help to elevate and ennoble them?

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

BANANA BUTTER

- 2 cups rice flakes crushed.
- 1 cup butter, melted.
- 2 apples.
- 2 bananas.
- 1/2 cup sugar.
- 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon.
- 1/2 cup water.
- 2 tablespoons lemon juice.

Four melted butter over rice flakes crumbs and mix thoroughly. Place a layer of one-third the prepared crumbs in bottom of buttered baking dish. Cover with 1 apple and 1 banana, pared, and thinly sliced. Sprinkle with half the sugar, cinnamon, and lemon juice. Cover with another layer of crumbs and repeat, using remaining fruit and seasonings. Pour water over mixture. Bake in moderately hot oven (375 degrees Fahrenheit) 30 minutes. Serves 6.

COCONUT SALAD DELICIOUS

- 2 cups cabbage, finely shredded.
- 1 cup grated pineapple, drained.
- 1 cup coconut, premium shred.
- 1/2 cup mayonnaise.
- Dash of salt.

Crisp cabbage by allowing it to stand in ice water. Drain and dry thoroughly. Toss lightly together with remaining ingredients. Serve on crisp lettuce. Garnish with strips of pineapple and chopped chives. Serves 6.

"Is that your college diploma you have framed there?"
"Well, it's a school diploma. It's a worthless stock certificate showing that I've been through the school of experience."

British Speed Up
Telephone System

Invention Called "Ghost Circuits" Perfected By Post Office

In an effort to speed up the British telephone system the post-office has perfected an invention which is expected to prove revolutionary.

A new system of "ghost" telephone circuits using one pair of telephone lines has been introduced.

It established a new British record when first inaugurated to tell the world of the British record-breaking run in the British speed boat, "Miss England III," on Loch Lomond.

"The new development is based on the carrier wave system of voice transmission," said an official of the G.P.O.

It is really after the principle of wireless applied to the telephone. The engineers, who have been testing at the research station in London, have established that in theory one circuit of two wires can be used for any number of circuits.

"Conversation on the 'ghost' circuit is absolutely private. This is regarded as a great achievement."

Church Service Held
On Nelson's Flagship

Was Notable Event Of Navy Week At Portsmouth

Naval officers and bluejackets stood bareheaded with citizens of Portsmouth, on the decks of the Victory, for the first public church service that has ever been held to usher in Navy Week.

More than a thousand people gathered on the stone pavings below surrounding the famous old warship to join in the service, which was relayed by loud speakers.

The hymns were, "O God our help in ages past," and "For those in peril on the sea."

The Bishop of Portsmouth based his sermon on the life of the navy's greatest admiral, Nelson.

A small group of people afterwards filled Nelson's day cabin, two decks below, surrounded by his own furniture, to receive communion from the admiral's own communion plate.

A Record For Speed

Farcel From Montreal Reached Baghdad In Thirteen Days

From Montreal to Baghdad in 13 days—this is the record established in sending a 10-pound sample consignment of Canadian industrial products to Baghdad.

Of the 13-day period, seven days were taken for an ordinary steamship crossing from Montreal to Liverpool. From the Merseyside the package was expressed to London, thence by automobile to Croydon airport where it was just in time to catch the London-Baghdad mail plane. On the 13th day of its journey the consignment reached its destination, ready to capture a new market in the Near East.

Why argue? If you are right, you learn nothing. And being wrong makes you so mad you don't want to learn.



"The neighbor's piano is too loud. Shut the door."
"It is shut."
"Then turn the key."—Pages Gales, Yvond.

FORGING OF NEW BOND UNITING EMPIRE UNITS

Calgary, Alberta.—A new economic bond which will bind the nations of the British Empire in more permanent unity than the antiquated legal bonds swept aside by the Statute of Westminster, was forged at the Imperial Economic Conference.

This was the impression of the conference obtained by Viscount Hailsham, Minister for War in the United Kingdom Government, who addressed the annual meeting of the Canadian Bar Association here. As one of the most distinguished British lawyers and jurists, Viscount Hailsham came here to convey the greetings of the legal profession of the United Kingdom to the lawyers of Canada. He has been twice attorney-general, and once lord chancellor of England.

Declaring his confidence that permanent benefits for both the Empire and the world would come from the agreements reached at the conference, Lord Hailsham said credit for them must go to the Prime Minister of Canada, Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett. It was due to Mr. Bennett's "courage, vision and imperialism that the meeting at Ottawa was made possible and the disintegration of the British Empire did not begin in 1939."

A resolution of thanks was moved to Lord Hailsham by Hon. W. J. Major, attorney-general of Manitoba. Hon. N. W. Rowell, vice-president of the Bar Association, presided.

In recognition of his long activity in the association, Premier R. B. Bennett was honored with the position of honorary life-president.

Earl Of Egmont Weds

Marriage To Daughter Of Prominent Calgary Resident Is Announced

Calgary, Alberta.—The Earl of Egmont left Calgary bound on a honeymoon trip to Vancouver. The 19-year-old Priddy rancher was married to Ann Geraldine Moodie, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Moodie, prominent Calgary residents.

The wedding was held quietly at St. Mary's Cathedral and was a surprise to friends of both the bride and groom. The youthful earl had been acquainted with his bride only a short while, meeting her shortly after his arrival from England two months ago.

Following the wedding the young couple departed for Vancouver. They will visit a number of points en route, including Jasper Park in the Rockies. Their plans after the honeymoon have not been announced but it is believed they will take a trip to the old country.

Only close relatives attended the ceremony, the bride being given away by her uncle, C. A. Dowling, of Calgary.

Early in June the young Earl returned to Calgary following the death in an auto accident of his father after which he succeeded to the title. He went immediately to his little ranch at Priddy, near Calgary, where he was born and to the little home his father left to take up residence in England when he obtained the title.

Declaring himself tired of "the lonely life of an earl," the young man joined in ranch life, taking up where he left off when he departed for England.

Following the Calgary stampede in July when he officiated in the prize awards, the earl spent some time in Calgary. It was during his stay that he became acquainted with Miss Moodie. And it was only a short while until the acquaintance blossomed into romance that finally resulted in the recent event.

Very little information could be obtained from the bride's father or mother regarding the wedding, and the earl refused to meet newspapermen.

Thinks Bonus Will Help

Toronto, Ont.—"The Ottawa Economic Conference has undoubtedly helped us, the wheat bonus should help us and things generally seem to be looking a little better," E. W. Beatty, K.C., president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, said on his arrival here.

Employees Get Bonus

Chicago.—The brokerage firm of Kittinger and Brand announced that employees would be paid a 10 per cent. bonus for the month of August. The staff earned it, officials announced, because business was so good they had to work overtime.

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Conference Starts Work

Agricultural Experts Get Down To Business At Toronto

Toronto, Ont.—Dividing into committees for intensive work, Canada's first conference of agricultural experts, federal, provincial and academic, summoned by Hon. Robert Weir, Minister of Agriculture, grappled with the farmer's greatest problem—how to make farming pay when prices are low.

A national advisory council to continue the work of co-ordination, was advocated by Mr. Weir at the opening session, and possibly provincial councils to deal with problems of purely provincial importance. Agricultural organizations, he contended, should join forces rather than work separately on the same problems.

S. E. Todd, secretary of the Industrial Council of the Canadian Meat Packers' Association, announced that henceforth packing houses will permit government inspectors to inspect hog carcasses "on the rail" in the abattoirs. This concession is expected to help Canada in the United Kingdom market against competition from Denmark, where bacon producers have for some time enjoyed the advantage of government inspection in the killing plant.

Free State Imposes Duties

Duties On Sheep and Poultry Alimed To Help Home Industry

Dublin, Ireland.—Duties on sheep and poultry imported into the Irish Free State were announced by the government as a further encouragement to home industry.

A duty of 11 shillings and three pence (\$2.70) per head will be imposed on all sheep and three shillings (75 cents) on all poultry imported by the terms of the order which was issued under the Emergency Duties Act. Two-thirds of the full rate is applicable as a preferential rate in the British Empire and the United Kingdom.

The duties are not directed against the United Kingdom as the imports of sheep and poultry from there are negligible. The main trade is carried out between the Free State and northern Ireland.

Economy Move

Abolition Of Eleven High Positions On C.N.R. Is Announced

Montreal.—The Abolition of 11 high positions in the traffic department of the Canadian National Railway is announced. The abolition of positions and economies thus brought about are effective September 1.

These changes and economies include reorganization of duties and the retirement of former officers of the traffic department whose combined service to the Canadian National system and its component parts totals 117 years.

The positions abolished include: Assistant freight traffic manager, Winnipeg; J. M. Horn, hitherto assistant freight traffic manager, Winnipeg, is now appointed general freight agent, Winnipeg, with S. W. Hatley as assistant general freight agent and F. G. Adams as chief of traffic bureau.

Prefers Northern Port

Steamship Captain Says Churchill Easier Port To Reach Than Montreal

Churchill, Man.—"I have hundreds of friends and associates in Montreal, but in fairness I must tell you that I much prefer to sail into Churchill than into Montreal. You can sail in here without fear or worry and that's more than you can say for Montreal. We had a wonderful passage. We are glad to get the business."

This was the statement of Capt. G. Blacklock, commander of the S.S. Silksworth, Newcastle, who arrived here to load wheat for the United Kingdom.

Clever Surgical Feat

Vienna.—Rudolf Datschmaler, 11-year-old boy whose heart was pierced by three bird shots in a hunting accident was reported recovering after a remarkable surgical feat by Dr. Gustav Felsenreich of the University of Vienna. The surgeon sewed up the wounds in the still beating heart and later removed the shot from the wounded lad's other organs.

Keep Cotton Off Markets

Washington.—A \$50,000,000 fund was available to keep government-controlled cotton off the market until 1933. For six or seven months, at least, all sales would be halted until a plan devised by the farm board and financed by the reconstruction corporation.

Market For Wheat

Revival Of Dominion's Wheat Sales To France Is Expected

Paris, France.—Fifty thousand bushels of Manitoba wheat imported into France during the past week will be milled and re-exported to the French colonies, thereby evading the maximum tariff applied to Canadian wheat since the expiration of the Franco-Canadian commercial accord.

Normally, this wheat would cost the importers \$2 a bushel in customs duty in addition to the depreciated currency rate of 11 per cent. However, because French millers guarantee its re-exportation to the colonies, they pay only the Winnipeg market price. It is stated that additional similar orders are being placed for Canadian wheat, which means a revival of the Dominion's wheat sales to France at a time when the French maximum tariff seemed to have killed the grain trade to this country.

The French colonies import millions of quintals of flour annually, and in this connection it is foreseen that Canada may secure a rich market on account of the superiority of the Manitoba over French native wheat, which the colonies have previously imported.

EMPIRE TRADE HAS RECEIVED A NEW IMPETUS

Fort William, Ont.—Had it failed, the Imperial Economic Conference would have assumed the proportions of a catastrophe. Instead, its successful consummation marks a tremendous step forward toward increased trade and prosperity within the British Empire, for it has laid the foundations of a commercial structure upon which the nations now have the opportunity as they never had before to build an enduring monument to progress and prosperity.

Addressing nearly 1,000 of his constituents here on the probable results of the economic parity, Hon. Dr. R. Mackay, Minister of Railways and Canals, and liaison officer of the conference, summed up the agreements made by the representatives of the British nations at the historical deliberations at the Canadian capital.

Expressing complete confidence in the ultimate advantages to increased Empire trade as represented in the Ottawa agreements, the minister counselled against expectation of immediate results. The trade trend upward will be gradual, he said, but none the less certain.

Partly as the result of the conference and partly the result of an apparent improvement in economic conditions in Canada, optimism is general again in this country for the first time in three years. This changed psychology is a most encouraging and hopeful sign, he said, indicating that Canada may not have long to wait for a pronounced movement along all lines toward prosperity.

SUCCEEDS KREUGER



Bjorn Fryx, Stockholm industrialist, who has been selected by creditor concerns to be president of the International Reconstruction of the Swedish Match Company, of which the late Ivar Kreuger was head. He will attempt to settle up the affairs of the concern, which was the largest of its kind in the world before Kreuger's suicide bared its straits.

Review Of Empire Naval Defence Urged

Australian Minister Of Opinion Time Is Now Opportune

New York.—A despatch to the New York Times from Melbourne, Australia, says "Sir George Pearce, Commonwealth Minister of Defence, commenting on the suggestion that former Premier Stanley Bruce, while in London, England, would discuss naval defence with the British authorities, said the time was opportune for a review of empire naval defence."

He declared the Ottawa conference had laid down a basis for empire trade which must be carried by sea-borne traffic, therefore the question of empire naval defence called for a new orientation.

The present defences, Sir George said, could not by any stretch of the imagination be said to be satisfactory for such a widely scattered empire.

Making Final Payment

Britain Wipes Out Foreign Credit Debt Of 1931

London, England.—With the repayment of 2,500,000,000 francs to France on September 10, the United Kingdom will have repaid in full the entire amount of foreign credits obtained by the treasury in the financial crisis of September, 1931.

The credits totalled \$200,000,000 from the United States, and 5,000,000,000 francs from France, of which half was advanced by banks and the remainder subscribed by the French public in the form of bonds.

The whole of the United States credit was repaid by the treasury in March and April, with the right to re-borrow \$50,000,000 at any time up to August 28. This right, not having been exercised will now finally lapse.

A SHIP THAT WILL NEVER RETURN



Dedication of the "Southern Cross" by the Archbishop of Canterbury at Greenwich, London, England, was a very colorful ceremony. The "Southern Cross" is a Church of England vessel, built at a cost of \$100,000 as the headquarters of the Bishop of Melanesia. She will sail from London for the Melanesian Islands in the Southern Pacific Ocean never to return. It is to work among the sick and suffering in the islands. Above is a general view of the ceremony in the stern of the boat.

World's Grain Show

Twenty-Eight Nations Are Expected To Take Part

Toronto, Ont.—Twenty-eight nations are expected to take part in the world's grain show at Regina in 1933, Hon. W. C. Buckle, Saskatchewan Minister of Agriculture, told the national conference of agriculture officials here.

"The crop in western Canada this year is the second largest we ever grew," declared Mr. Buckle. "With anything like a fair price I am confident the support to this show will assure its complete success."

Mr. Buckle pointed out that Canadians will have a chance to win all the prizes offered except those for rice. The show has been financed on a contributory basis by the Federal Government, the Saskatchewan Government and the city of Regina. Already \$200,000 has been spent on a building to house the show, and a prize list of \$103,700 has been prepared. Other provinces will be asked to make some contribution towards expenses. The whole country stood to benefit from a show of world-wide importance, said Mr. Buckle.

Livestock judging will probably be added to the competitions. Preliminary campaigns had interested so many farmers in bettering their products that Mr. Buckle felt the show had already justified itself.

Elaborate arrangements have been made to bring special excursions to Regina, including Canadian parliamentaries and delegations of Australian and United Kingdom farmers.

St. John's College Will Remain Open

Salary Cuts Have Been Voluntarily Accepted By Staff

Winnipeg, Man.—All 15 endowment funds of St. John's College and school, designed almost entirely for the teaching work, have been virtually wiped out, but the historic college and school, the first institution of its kind established west of the Red River, will carry on as usual this year, according to announcement of the college council.

Continuing the work of St. John's College and school has been made possible by voluntary acceptance by the teaching staffs of stringent salary cuts, the council stated, and the hope was expressed that Church of England people in Winnipeg would give that support this year by undertaking by sending their young people to the institution.

The bursar's fund and scholarship funds, it was pointed out, were used to help needy and worthy students to get support for college. Many of these will be kept out of college this year through impairment of college assets.

EXPLORE WAYS AND MEANS TO AID THE FARMER

Toronto, Ont.—Hon. Robert Weir told the national conference of agricultural officials here that the United Kingdom government had at Ottawa to protect her own farmers against competition in poultry and dairy products from European countries, and to give the Dominions and Colonies an advantage.

At present said the Federal Minister of Agriculture, Empire countries supply only 30 per cent. of the eggs consumed in the United Kingdom and less than 25 per cent. of dressed poultry.

The present "spread" between what the consumer pays and the milk producer gets can be reduced, declared Dr. J. S. Booth, commissioner of agricultural economics, Ottawa. In his opinion a 35 or 40 per cent. spread was too much. "I submit," he added, "that work on the question of reducing costs which absorb 75 cents out of the consumer's dollar is a field inviting some consideration."

J. S. Singleton, Dominion Dairy Commissioner, told the conference the farmer's greatest opportunity now lies in the direction of concentrated milk products. At present, he explained, the United Kingdom imports 320,000,000 pounds of such product, of which only 8.6 per cent. is contributed by Empire countries and 1.6 by Canada.

The conference appointed special committees on bacon, beef production, poultry, dairy herds, dairying, health of animals, cereals, fruit and vegetables, pasture and forage, marketing and publicity. Their purpose is to discover ways of helping the farmer secure a better return for his efforts.

VON PAPEN TO IGNORE HITLER AS A FACTOR

Berlin, Germany.—Chancellor Franz von Papen will refrain from dissolving the new reichstag only if his cabinet is empowered by a special emergency law to govern for six months without parliamentary support, the Associated Press has learned.

Officials of the new reichstag, which held its first session Tuesday, August 30, have attempted to obtain an immediate audience with President von Hindenburg for the purpose of trying to convince him the legislature is able to carry on parliamentary government.

One of the chancellor's closest collaborators was authority for the statement that von Papen intends to proceed as though Adolf Hitler no longer were a political factor. In this stand the head of the cabinet is backed by the president.

Armed with a signed but undated decree dissolving the reichstag, which he obtained from the president, the chancellor calmly awaited the next move of parliament, biding his time for the most effective moment at which to end the session.

Marathon Winner

Geo. Blagden, Of Memphis, Wins \$7,500 Prize

Toronto, Ont.—Triumph over the cold waters of Lake Ontario and 189 of the world's best swimmers, George Samuel Blagden, young Memphis, Tenn., law student, swam his way into fame and a fair-sized fortune by winning the Canadian National Exhibition's 15-mile marathon here.

In a day of thrills, a day in which a crowd estimated at more than 100,000 alternately cheered and groaned, Blagden took the lead before the swim was half over, fought off all challenges, and set a new world's record for the distance of seven hours, 19 minutes, 52.3 seconds. He collected \$7,500 in cash for his day's work.

Here is the order of finish: George Blagden, Memphis, Tenn., 7 hours, 19 minutes, 52.3 seconds, \$7,500.

Gianni Gambi, Italy, 7 hours, 24 minutes, 27 seconds, \$2,000.

Isadore Spender, Port Colborne, Ont., 7 hours, 30 minutes, 3.5 seconds, \$750.

Marvin Nelson, Port Dodge, Ia., 7 hours, 38 minutes, 27.2 seconds, \$500.

Bill Goll, New York, 7 hours, 41 minutes, 23.2 seconds, \$200.

Harry Glancy, Cincinnati, 8 hours, 11 minutes, 10 seconds, \$100.

Plan Has Collapsed

Iowa Farmers Allow Produce To Enter Des Moines

Des Moines, Iowa.—Farm produce was brought unhindered into Des Moines with the collapse of the last strong farmers' holiday picket line.

Sheriff Charles F. Keeling, a force of deputies, and truck drivers, all armed with clubs, massed on highway 65, north of the city, and forced their way through members of the Farmers' Holiday Association, who seek to force higher agricultural prices by keeping produce from the markets.

The "big push" against the blockade, after starting at a point five miles from Ames, resulted in the free movement of produce into this capital city.

Abandons Return Flight

Captain Mollison Gives Up Plan To Return By Plane

Sydney, N.S.—Content with the honor of being the first aviator to make a solo flight westward across the north Atlantic, Captain James A. Mollison has abandoned his plans for a return journey by plane to England.

The adventurous Scot accepted advice of Dr. Freeman O'Neill, his host here, to take things easy for a while. His wife, formerly Amy Johnson, and the baker of his westward flight, Lord Wakefield, asked him not to attempt the return trip, and the captain gave up reluctantly.

Grain Speedily Handed

Montreal, Que.—The loading of 9,428 long tons, approximately 352,000 bushels of wheat, into the steamer "Anglo African" in seven hours 15 minutes is stated to be a new record for speedy handling of grain in the port of Montreal. Four spouts were used to pour the grain into the vessel.

A Model Mining Camp

Only Well Equipped Men Get Into Echo Bay

While the rush to Conjuror's Bay gold strike continues unabated (there are probably between 75 and 100 men on the ground now), Cameron Bay and the area immediately surrounding it does not lack excitement. Despite inroads made on the floating population of the main settlement by the gold fever, the number of permanent residents continues to grow and every day sees the community rooting itself deeper on the wooded foreland that three months ago was entirely untenanted.

Uniformed law and order has come in the shape of a Royal Canadian Mounted Police detachment, the officers arriving when the Speed 11 made her second trip across from Fort Franklin. Echo Bay unlike most mining camps, has failed to produce any "bad men" to date, this no doubt being due to the fact that it is accessible only to well-equipped men with definite business to do. There is a real place in the life of the field for the police, however. Handling malefactors is only one item in the complex duties of the Royal Mounted.

Cameron Bay's first white woman landed July 27, in the person of Mrs. J. Gerhart. Wearing a coat of tan and such as no bathing beauty could produce and dressed in masculine attire, she ended a journey of 2,000 miles in which her husband and two other men from Berwyn, Alberta, brought a couple of power-driven scows from the waters of the Peace to Echo Bay. With two months of river, lake and rapid behind her, she emerged in the conventional garb of civilization. So the all-male world of the north, so far from months has collapsed. So far no protests have been heard.

J. J. Byrne, head of the Great Bear Lake mines, was a recent arrival by aeroplane and, donning the regulation drill clothes and high boots of the area, he has plunged into the activities of the field with the zest that marks every one from Conjuror to Hunter Bays. Mr. Byrne reported that when he was at Fort Resolution traffic was still headed toward the Mackenzie, the Bear and the lake. Obviously there is to be no peering out of the first surge of boats which has already descended on Great Bear, but the rush to the field will continue throughout the period of open water. Many of the early arrivals and the majority of the late ones intend remaining over the winter and have brought well-stocked outfits to make this possible. In most cases, however, cabin building is being left until a later date. The main idea at the moment is to get to Conjuror Bay while there is still open ground.

Find Free Gold

Important Discovery Reported In Great Bear Lake Mineral Field

Free gold, the first ever found in the field, was picked up on the Oro Group, staked in the spring of 1931, by Charles Sloan, veteran prospector, according to word received from Cameron Bay in the Great Bear Lake mineral field.

This group adjoins the Eldorado group and Labine Point; and work is proceeding feverishly to tap the discovery and ascertain its extent. The free gold is quite coarse and appears in particles about the size of wheat grains in the quartz.

Named By Experts

Two experts, each with a costly outfit, fished for a whole morning without catching anything. They were about to pack up when a little girl threw out a line and pulled up a two-pounder—a beauty.

"What kind of a fish is that, my child?" asked a passer-by.

"Those gentlemen," she replied, "call it a 'damnit'."

There are only about 40,000 Eskimos in the entire Arctic region.



She: "All is over, I have nothing to say to you."

He: "Well, make it brief."—Buen Humor, Madrid.

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UNIQUE SERVICE COMMEMORATES EIGHT HUNDRETH ANNIVERSARY OF ABBEY



A special service was held in the wonderful ruins of Fountains Abbey, Yorkshire, England, to commemorate the 800th anniversary of the laying of the foundation stone. Thousands flocked to the beautiful silver-grey ruins of the famous Cistercian Abbey, to take part in the robed service, including the Duke and Duchess of York. The picture on the left shows the arrival of the popular Duke and Duchess, while the photo on the right gives a general view of the service inside the Abbey.

Record Hard To Beat

New Jersey Man Has Been Commuter Sixty-Four Years

Addison H. Day, who will be 82 years old in November, has begun his sixty-fourth year as a regular commuter between Chatham, New Jersey and New York. When he stepped aboard the train the other morning at his home town to go to his desk in the office of the Marine Midland Trust Company, at 120 Broadway, where he is an official, he started on his thirty-ninth commutation trip around the world, figuratively speaking. Officials of the Lackawanna railroad have estimated that in sixty-three years Mr. Day who has earned the title of champion commuter of the nation, has covered 956,000 miles on the railroad to and from work, equivalent to thirty-eight times the circumference of the earth.

Oddest Of Odd Jobs

Cornet Player Assists In Tuning Musical Auto Horn

The odd jobs around factories where automobiles and automotive parts are made are among the oddest of all human undertakings. For instance, there is the job of the cornet player in one of the plants making a very special and expensive motor car horn. When a finished horn comes from the production bench, the cornet player toots an arrangement of four notes. An assistant with a musical ear then blows the horn. If they decide it is pitched correctly, it is sent on to the market place. If not, it goes back for further tuning.

Strike At Price Cutting

Canadian Retail Druggists May Ask Aid Of Parliament

Canadian retail druggists may ask the Dominion Parliament to amend the Combines Act so as to permit retail distributors to fix reasonable prices upon trade marked goods. Dr. R. B. Stanbury, secretary of the Canadian Pharmaceutical Association, stated in Toronto.

His statement followed discussions at sessions of the Canadian Association and the Ontario Retail Druggists Association where delegates deliberated upon possible legal ways of fixing prices so as to strike at price cutting.

Advertising Does Pay

A young actress one day lost a string of pearls, and she advertised the fact in a weekly journal. Afterwards, when asked if she had recovered the lost property, she answered excitedly: "Yes! And isn't advertising wonderful? The pearls I lost were only imitation, but those that have been returned to me are the real thing!"

University Makes History

For the first time in the history of the University of Toronto three dentists have been given honorary degrees. This demonstrates that the members of this profession are developing an even greater pull and that due recognition is given of their services to University pupils after they have finished grinding their teeth over examination papers.

The line needs to be more sharply drawn between careful and reckless flying on the part of airplane pilots, is the conclusion of a University professor, who has made right turns to study safety.

The Oath Of Allegiance

Has Been Cause Of Trouble With Ireland Before

The fuss in Ireland over the oath of allegiance is not the first time the oath has caused trouble in Great Britain and Ireland. Both Sir David Salomons and Baron Lionel de Rothschild objected to the oath containing the phrase: "True faith of a Christian." In 1858 these words were deleted for all members of non-Christian religions.

Later, Charles Bradlaugh, atheistic lecturer and writer, who was strongly republican in sentiment, objected to taking any oath at all. He had to be ejected from the House of Commons.

Then it became optional with the members to take either an affirmation or an oath of allegiance. Occasionally some member balks at the oath and affirms his allegiance, instead. However, most of the members are sworn in by the old-time oath.

Ever since 1066, British history has been replete with such objections. There have been constant ripples on the waters of government. Each one plays its part in the progress of democracy. The good points of the objections are made part of the constitution, and the bad are just discarded.

Chinese Woman Gets

Degree From Japan

Former Shanghai Professor Is Now Doctor Of Science

The first Chinese woman to receive a doctor's degree from a Japanese university is Miss Tao Weisun, former professor of chemistry in the Tating University, Shanghai, who has been awarded a degree of doctor of science by the ministry of education. Her thesis was "A Scientific Study of the Digestibility of Rice Starch," and was accepted by the science department of the Imperial University, Kyoto.

Miss Tao is 37, and attended school in Tokyo before entering Columbia University, New York, where she received her bachelor's degree in science.

Judge—"Do you know the meaning of an oath, madam?"

Witness (proudly)—"Your honor! An 'me husband ship!' before the mast these fifteen years!"

Inspect Canned Salmon

All Importations In Future Must Pass Rigid Inspection

All canned salmon imported into Canada in future must undergo an inspection similar to that now required in the case of salmon packed in British Columbia, and no import shipment may be released until it has been so inspected. This is the purpose of an order-in-council passed at Ottawa. As all importations of canned salmon come from the Pacific side, the order-in-council also provides that all shipments "imported for sale in Canada" shall enter through a British Columbia port only.

The inspection of imported salmon will be carried out by the permanent board of inspection in British Columbia.

Receive Legacies

Lord Incheape Leaves Bequests To Officers Of Steamship Lines

Legacies totalling more than £40,000 were bequeathed by Lord Incheape to about 600 officers of the Peninsular and Oriental British India Steam Navigation Lines, it was learned in London, England.

Lord Incheape, noted British financier and shipping magnate, died last May, and he will described the gifts to the officers as a "slight acknowledgment of their loyalty and fidelity" to him.

Two hundred and two captains will receive £100 each, while 200 chief officers and the same number of chief engineers will receive £50 each.

Cody's Old Servant

Attends Dedication

Travels 2,000 Miles For Ceremony At Cody Peak

James Lyman Brown, 92, the first cook for Col. William F. (Buffalo Bill) Cody, was present at the dedication of Cody Peak, recently.

Brown, whose home is in Danville, Ind., made the 2,000-mile trip to Wyoming especially to attend the ceremony.

The aged chief first worked for the famous scout in 1870 and was in his employment for many years. Brown was with Cody during his famous trips to Europe to perform before royalty.

Strange Manifestation

Germany Having Problem In Connection With Nudist Cult

Among its other perplexities the German Government has the nudists on its hands. The passion to go about unclothed is sweeping the world. Nudism has been common, we are told by travellers, in parts of Russia for some considerable time. It has cropped out in unpleasant manifestation in Canada among the Doukhobors as a form of mass protest against real or imagined grievances. Sects of sun-bathers who are nudists, or within a whisk of it, have sprung up in England; but the most determined cult of skin-worshippers is apparently in Germany, and the German Government is trying to force its nudists back into their clothes by the imposition of fines.

We are so close to our own times that only by making a special effort can we realize what an eccentric age it is. Standards, and values, and principles, and beliefs which were the controls of human conduct for a century have, during the past dozen years, been scrapped and tossed overboard into the ocean of uncertainty on which we are sailing. It has always been a mark of uncertain and disturbed periods for the races of Northern Europe to develop cases of nudism. To go naked is the most original thing a civilized person can do; the most arrogant challenge he can throw in the face of convention and society.

To what extent the epidemic of nakedness in Germany can be explained by this theory it might be hard to say; but it is an extraordinary indication of how thoroughly altered are the conditions into which sections of the German people have fallen, and the effects the conditions have had on their behaviour. Nudism thrives a curious sleight on German trends under heavy political and social pressures—Mantolva Free Press.

New Way To Raise Money

Switzerland Has Parade Of Ancient Cars To Aid Jobless

Venerable motor cars from many countries were recently recalled from their well-earned rest and paraded before the citizens of Zurich, Switzerland, in a campaign to help the unemployed of that city.

A programme organized by the Swiss Automobile Club and other groups interested in automotive transportation, a parade of 450 vehicles, ranging from luxurious limousines to street cleaning equipment, was a feature. Twenty-five of these were obsolete cars produced between 1890 and 1910.

Automobiles from five countries took part. The United States led with nineteen entries. Next came Germany with five, followed by Italy with four, France with three, and Austria with one entry.

The Poultry Industry

Says Canada Can Compete Successfully In Empire Markets

Poultry men in Canada are having a difficult time, but they are not down-hearted, F. C. Elford, of Ottawa, told the national conference of agricultural officials meeting at Toronto.

Suggestions that Canada could not compete with European countries into the United Kingdom market were not correct, declared Mr. Elford, who is a former president of the World's Poultry Congress. He contended that while the European producer had some advantages in shipping costs, Canadian farmers are far ahead in high flock production, good sanitation, lower taxes and a lower cost of feed.

Rail Safer Than Road

Figures For Accidents and Fatalities Show Big Spread

Comparing the accident figures for road and rail in Great Britain, C. T. Cramp, at a national road conference, stated 239 persons were killed on the railways last year, 200 of whom were railwaymen, whereas 6,691 were killed on the roads. Every day 18 are killed in road accidents. There were 22,895 injured on railways, including every accident, however trivial, whereas on the roads the number reported was 202,119, in addition to thousands of accidents not reported.

Country Once Aro

The inspector (examining a class of boys) picked on a ruddy-faced country lad.

"Now, boy," said the inspector, "do you know what vowels are?"

"Yes, sir. I know what vowels are!"

"Well, what are vowels?"

"Why, sir, vowels be chickens!"

George Washington was made an honorary citizen of France in 1793.

A Priceless Possession

Famous Peacock Throne Of India Worth Thirty-Five million Dollars

Valued at \$35,000,000 and made in India in the thirteenth century for the Great Moghul, the exquisite Peacock Throne, writes Penselope Beadnell in the Illustrated Weekly of India, was taken from Delhi in 1739 to Tehran by Nadir Shah, and when in Persia last year I was lucky enough to be able to see this magnificent piece of workmanship.

As we arrived at the Palace gates, the sentries saluted and two soldiers approached to conduct us through the Royal precincts. We crossed the first courtyard, where fountains played in a low marble basin, and went through an archway into the inner garden. Delicately arched bridges traversed the little artificial lakes and limpid streams, and tall poplars were reflected in the clear cool water.

Two more soldiers and a high official of the court met us at the entrance to the Palace itself, the walls of which were covered by colored tiles of various designs. To the right two twin square towers denoted the "Harodun" or women's quarters.

We entered the Shah's residence by a triple doorway, supported by four pairs of marble columns, mounted a handsome staircase and were conducted through a succession of magnificently carpeted rooms till at last we reached the Treasure Room. In the presence of the Shah's officials and soldiers the seal of the lock was broken, and a moment later the door was thrown open. At the far end of the long gallery stood the priceless "Takht-e Tavos" or Peacock Throne.

The throne itself is about six feet high at the back with arms and platform for the feet, covered with a plating of pure gold, chiselled and enamelled with embossed and open-work designs. The gold is encrusted with precious stones of every color, as varied as the hues in a peacock's tail: diamonds, emeralds, turquoises, rubies—some nearly an inch across. Until recently this had been a fringe of enormous emeralds hanging from each arm of the throne, but these—owing to their immense value—have been removed and locked up separately.

Besides the throne there is a couch of similar workmanship, about eight feet by five, and standing some three feet from the ground. Each of its six legs is carved to represent a peacock's breast, and there is a pair of steps for His Majesty to ascend. On this the Shah used to recline when holding his audiences, but now the present Shah uses the "Takht-e-Marmar," a white marble throne, beautiful too—though not to be compared with its counterpart. At the back of the couch is a scintillating circular star of large diamonds, about a foot across, which a mechanical contrivance behind it revolves on state occasions.

The Treasure Room is lined with mirrors which reflect each other over and over again. In cases along the walls were Sevres and Chinese porcelain, daggers with carved and jewelled handles, gold cups and plates, mosaic pictures, a terrestrial globe, in precious stones and treasures of every sort from every region of the world.

Once more the door is locked and sealed, the officials bow to each other, the soldiers salute, the keys carried away, we descend by another staircase, and our visit to the Shah's dwelling is over.

Black—"What did his father advise when you told him you loved his daughter, but only had a hundred dollars saved up?"

White—"He advised me to invest it all in a one-way railway ticket with no stopovers!"

Australia supplies 65.3 per cent. of China's wheat imports, the United States 18 per cent., and Canada 14.5 per cent.



"What would you do if I became deaf and dumb?"

"I should put out the light when you started arguing with me."—Karl-katuren, Oslo.

FANCIFUL FABLES



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J. I. McFarland
GENERAL MANAGER

Green Grass Grew All Round

Nelson, July 30—A cow with an expensive appetite, cost George Fieldhouse \$32.00.

When he returned home recently he discovered he had lost his wallet. It contained four ten-dollar bills and two two-dollar bills.

He searched down Granite Road past some cows. The green grass was growing all around, but Mr. Fieldhouse saw to his dismay that one cow with an apparent weakness for "greenbacks" was eating his ten-dollar bills with relish.

Three ten-dollar bills and one two-dollar bill had provided dessert for the bovine. Mr. Fieldhouse retrieved only one ten-dollar bill and a two-dollar bill.

The last, seen of George, the aforementioned party was advanced stealthily toward the herd his hip pocket bulging with what appeared to be a package of Epsom salts.

I Saw

Hank and the children out for their daily stroll.

W. K. Gibson limping around with the aid of a cane and wondering when his sciatica will let up.

Fred Pfeuti going places and not alone at that.

John Zanni, at one time a real horseshoe pitcher, trying a comeback.

Fred Stevens and Ed. Meyers setting up bouquets.

Harry Parks of Madden looking over the remains of his bladder after the runaway.

A good many of the townspeople taking advantage of the bread war between our local butchers.

Donnie McFadyen shaking hands with his many friends.

Bill Blackadder contributing a dollar to the School Fair.

Pete Knight of Crossfield was second in the bronchocycling championship at the rodeo held at Ellensburg, Wash., on Labor Day.

Church of the Ascension (ANGLICAN)

Sunday, Sept. 11th.

A celebration of Holy Communion will be conducted by Rev. Norman Plummer at 11.00 a.m.

Sunday School at 10.00 a.m.

J. W. A. will meet at the Rectory, Friday, after school.

A very enjoyable afternoon was spent in the local Park, Wed. Aug. 31, when the Sunday school children and their parents, met for their annual picnic.

Games and races were enjoyed, after which all sat down to a good repast. Everyone going home happy and contented. Ice cream, candies and peanuts, were the order of the day.

We wish to thank all who made it a success.

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School Fair Premier Prize Won by Grace Riddell

Grace Riddell of Greenwood School, won the special prize of a pure bred Hereford heifer calf, donated by Frank Colliant, to the boy or girl securing the greatest number of points in classes 14 to 43. Donald Leask of West Hope School, last years winner was second and Eugene Havens of Sunshine School, third.

The points secured by the three main competitors are as follows: Grace Riddell, 100 points; Donald Leask, 79 points; Eugene Havens, 63 points.

Pool Initial Payment 35 Cents

The initial payment for Alberta pool wheat for the 1932-33 crop year has been set at 35 cents per bushel. The basis is number one northern, Vancouver.

The initial payment is similar to last year's figure.

To Delay By-Election

Edmonton—There will be no by-election called in the Camrose constituency to fill the seat left vacant by the death of Hon. Vernon W. Smith, Minister of Railways and Telephones, until after harvest, according to Premier Brownlee.

Dominion To Raise Pension For Those Out of Employment

Unemployed war pensioners are to be placed in a position of equality with other unemployed receiving relief, according to a telegram received by the Winnipeg district command of the Canadian Legion from Mayor Ralph H. Webb, who attended the Calgary unemployed relief conference.

Local and General

Donnie McFadyen well-known big league hockey player, arrived here from Chicago on Friday and will spend the next six weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McFadyen.

Donnie made the trip in his new sport model Plymouth. He is glad to get back to Alberta for a rest at least, as his time is fully occupied, with playing hockey in the winter and attending the Chicago University during the summer.

The many friends of Mr. W. McRory will be glad to know that he is making satisfactory progress towards recovery.

R. D. Sutherland, acting Secretary Municipal District of Rosebud, has changed around the fixtures in the Municipal office and brightened it up considerably.

About five carloads of binder twine have been sold in Crossfield during the past month. This is a considerable increase over the amount sold last year.

Mel Patmore, Vince Patmore and Clayton Reid have left for the southern part of the province where they will haul wheat.

The Crossfield District Co-Operative Association U. F. A. offer of 60c per bushel for No. 1 wheat and other grades in proportion, for all debts incurred prior to Jan. 1st, 1931, should prove very helpful to some of our readers.

Rev. and Mrs. P. C. McCrea and children of Bassano, are visiting at the home of the latter's parents. Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Halliday.

United Church Services

Sept. 11th.

Madden—Sunday School 11 a.m.

Preaching Service 11.30

Crossfield—Sunday School 2 p.m.

Evening Service 7.30 p.m.

H. Young, Minister

Card of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. George Jones wish, through the columns of the Chronicle, to express their sincere thanks for the kindness and sympathy extended to them by their many friends, during their recent sad bereavement, and also for the beautiful floral offerings.

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THURSDAY, SEPT. 8th, 1932.

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. A. Cruickshank and Mrs. W. Miller were visitors in Calgary on Saturday.

E. Jewell of Vancouver, B. C. spent the holiday at the Willow Springs Ranch.

R. M. McCool was able to be out and around again on Monday after a week's illness with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Jones of Calgary spent the holiday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Crocker.

A. W. Gordon returned on Tuesday from Nobleford, where he had been adjusting hail losses.

Arnold High who has been on the sick list for several days is able to be up and around.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. K. Borbridge on Aug. 26, a daughter.

All those who have not given their donations—promised to the School Fair are requested to give them to the secretary, immediately.

C. H. McMillan, F. T. Baker, "Happy" McMillan and W. H. Miller attended the ball games in Calgary on Labor Day.

Mrs. Proffert and Mrs. Thresher of Calgary spent the holiday the guests of their aunt Mrs. A. Cruickshank.

The Chronicle has a very fine range of wedding stationery and we are able to quote very reasonable prices on this class of work.

The dates for Crossfield Chautauqua have now been arranged and are as follows: Nov. 29-30, Dec. 1-2.

Mary and Mildred Brandon and Fern Hem, who are attending Crescent Heights High School, Calgary, spent the week-end and holiday at their homes here.

Mr. F. Boyce, M. P. and Mrs. Boyce of Dorchester Station, Ont. have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Oneil. Mrs. Boyce is a niece of Mrs. Oneil.

Bill Fieldhouse, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Fieldhouse, has spent for Lethbridge, where he will spend an indefinite time with his aunt, Mrs. Nettie Erickson.

Mrs. Tom Green and children arrived from Calgary on Friday and have taken up their residence in the Jessiman house. Mr. Green has charge of the Midland Pacific elevator here.

Chas. Donald of Bottrel passed through town on Tuesday with a threshing outfit on his way to the Beiseker district where he has contracted to do 2,000 acres of threshing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Percival and family were visitors in town on Wednesday on their way back to Edmonton, after spending a holiday in the States.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gilchrist celebrated their 20th wedding anniversary on Sept. 4th. They spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Whyte at Carstairs.

The Board of Trade sign board has at last been completed, and is a great improvement to the south end of town, as those driving in from that end do not have to gaze on a pile of rubbish. The Board of Trade and Town Council are to be commended on their efforts put forth to beautify the town.

Well, with a bread war going on merrily between the local butchers and with our local laundryman, cutting under the city laundry prices for the family wash, things are getting interesting.

Mr. and Mrs. Young of Macleod were visitors in town during the week-end, the guests of Mrs. Young's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. McRory. They returned home Sunday evening accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Baird of Edmonton who has been visiting in Crossfield for the past two weeks.

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